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## RAILROAD NEWS FROM ALL POINTS.

Temporary Bridge Arrangements Will Be Made by the Lines Entering Galveston.

### NEW STRUCTURES ARE NEEDED.

Receivers Appointed for the Port Receivers Appointed by the Federal Arthur Terminals-Immigrant Bureau Meeting-Air Line Sale-Notes.

all the bridges are gone and will have to be entirely reconstructed. The three railread bridges across the bay are those belonging to the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Katy and I & G. N. Upon investigation, which ever one of these is found to be in best condition will be temporarily repaired at the expense of all lines and used by them until the others can be restored. This will probably be the Santa Fe bridge, as it was the least damaged by the wreckage driven into the bay.

Traffic is already opened over the M., K. & T. as far as Texas City Janction, which is four miles from Virginia Point, just across the bay from Galveston. Trains will admit they are doing so in conformity with a pooling agreement.

The following table shows the eastbound bridge to least opening agreement.

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be run from the junction to Texas City on | vis the bay, where boats can be taken to Galveston. On the Gulf, Colorado and Santa | We Fe traffic is open to Alvin, Tex., which is twenty-nine miles from Galveston, Mr. Hill said that at Virginia Point the

water was fifteen feet deep, and the tracks submerged or swept away as far as Texas City Junction. During the storm a locomotive and thirty-seven freight cars were caught near Virginia Point and swept a considerable distance inland. Yesterday there was absolutely no communication with Galveston, except by boat. He placed the less of life in Galveston at from 1500

At Missouri Pacific headquarters several dispatches were received to the effect that the loss of life would not exceed 1,000 persons in all. They also confirmed the reports about the elevators being but slightly damaged. It was thought that not more than two or three hundred thousand bushels of wheat were damaged by the water. No estimate can be placed at present or

the damage to ratiroad terminals in Gal-

## DISMISSED THE CASE.

Missouri Warehouse Commissioners Decide in Favor of the Alton. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 11.-The Rull-

road and Warehouse Commissioners to-day took up the matter of the petition of the citizens of Callaway County regarding the train connections at Mexico of the Chicago and Alton branch road, running from Mexico to Jefferson City. After considering the matter the commissioners decided that the greater number of patrons of the branch road were best served under the present arrangement for the running of trains from Mexico to Jefferson City. The commissioners accordingly declined to ap-

## Wrinkles Come

To many a face which should still be smooth and fair. Worry doesn't bring them. There are no cares and anxieties to furrow the face. They are the signs of physical suffering, graven by the hand of Pain. It is the saddest result of the diseases which affect the womanly



fering on the face and form. The skin becomes sallow, the cheeks are sunken, the eyes look dull, the body falls away. values her health or good looks should eglect to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite eases of the womanly organs. It cures irregularity, inflammation, ulceration and female weakness. It lights up the eye, brightand rounds out the

body. "I take great pleasure

"I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Pierce's Pavorite Frescription for female weakness." writes Mrs. Susannah Permenter, of Pauls Store, Shelby Co., Texas. "I was troubled with bearing down paints in my back and hips six years, and I wrote to Dr. Pierce for advice. I tried his 'Favorite Prescription' and six bottles cured me. I feel like a new person, and I thank Dr. Pierce for my health. If is a burden to any one without health. I have told a great many of my friends about the great medicines I took."

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## DR. NATHANIEL K. KING,

Suite C, 1st Floor, Turner B'dg., 304 M. Eighth St., East Side Post Office, St. Louis, Mo.

Court in Louisiana. Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 11 .- Judge W. J. Bryant of the United States District Court, in Louisiana, has appointed C. J. Glass of Texarkana, receiver for the ter-

Railway Y. M. C. A. Meeting. Palladeiphia from October II to 14

Burlington Consolidation Plans.

Great Northern's Tunnel.

Texas Ruthway Club.

SUED THE IRON MOUNTAIN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Poplar Bluff, Mo., Sept. II .- For a numhave complained severely of exorbitant freight rates, which raised the prices of

PORT ARTHUR PROPERTIES.

Eastbound Shipments.

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who will address the meeting are President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania Railroad, The-odors Voorhees, first vice president of the Philadelphia and Reading; George W. Ste-vens, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio, and William H. Baldwin, Jr., president of the Long Island. All the railroads will give transportation

All the railroads will give transportation to the delegates, and the Pullman company has made a half rate for those who wish such accommodations. The Pennsylvania will treat the delegates to a free excursion to Atlantic City.

Immigrant Bureau Meeting.

The Advisory Committee of the Immigrant Bureau of the Western Passenger Association will meet in New York September IS. A number of important subjects are to be considered. The Santa Fe system demands a revision of the scale of percentages under the present pooling agreement. It believes it is entitled to a larger share of the immigrant traffic than it has been getting. The Western roads no longer try to deny that they pool immigrant traffic. They claim that their plan of conducting immigrant traffic has the indorsement of the interstate Commerce Commission. This plan prevents all competition in rates. The profits from immigrant traffic are divided according to a scale of percentages, regardless of the number of immigrants actually carried by each road.

By the end of this month the Great Northern Railway expects to have com-pleted the tunnel which it is constructing through the Cascade Mountains, and by November 1 trains will probably commence to run through it. This will mean the practical abandonment of the famous "switchback" by which the Great North-ern has heretofore climbed over the range of the Cascades.

-Louis Blatterman, compiler of the Illi-nois Rate Sheet, has called a meeting of clerks to take place September 18 in the Fullerton building.

prove the changes asked for in the peti-tion and dismissed the case.

Poplar Bluff Merchants Claim Discrimination is Freight Rates.

er of years the merchants of this city freight rates, which raised the prices of commodities. The St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern road has been asked to lower the rates. It is alleged that the freight rates from St. Louis to this point are higher than from the same piace to other towns, a farther distance away. Today Cohn & Peiz, a local firm, instituted suit in the Circuit Court for \$115,000 damages against the Iron Mountain road for alleged unreasonable discrimination in freight rates.

A dispatch was received here yesterday at Missouri, Kansas and Texas headquarters from Manager Hill of the Galveston, Houston and Henderson, which throws some light on the situation at Galveston. He says that all the bridges are gone and will have to be

The tenth international conference of the Stroad departments of the Young Men's cristian Association will be held this year gates from all parts of the United States will attend, and it is estimated that 1000 raliread men will be present. The Russian Government will protably send two representatives, and it is expected that some of the other foreign countries will do the same. Among the prominent railroad officials ant ticket agent of the Vandalia here, suc-ceeding R. J. Wood, who has gone to Colo-rado Springs to assist his father, who is engaged in several mining enterprises. Mr. Bridges comes from the East St. Louis of-fices and has been with the Vandalia for

Immigrant Bureau Meeting.

Sale of the Air Line.

At the foreclosure sale of the Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis road, better known as the "Air Line," which is to take place at indianapolis next month, the property will be bid in for the Southern Railway Company. Interests representing the Southern have secured all the Issues of L., E. & St. L. bonds, and the committees representing the holders of the various is sues of the bonds have been discharged. The holders of the seconds will get in exchange for their 4 per cents bonds of the St. Louis division of the Southern Railway. The acquisition of the L., E. & St. L. by the Southern Railway will add considerably to the strength of that system, giving it a line from Louisville to St. Louis.

At the annual meeting of the Burlington stockholders to be held in Chicago on November ? a proposition will be considered further to consolidate the railroad properties of the company in Iowa, Missouri and other States. The plan is to purchase franchises of all railroad companies whose roads and properties are now held by the company under lease. Transfer books closed yesterday and will be reopened on November 8.

The seminanual meeting of the Texas Railway Club, which was to have been held at Galveston on September 17 and 18, has been indefinitely postponed by order of President A. S. Grant. Personal and Current Notes.

Pullerton building.

-Ed Swift, Southern passenger agent of the Wabash at Cincinnati, was at head-quarters yesterday.

-R. Blaisdell, auditor of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis, was in the city yesterday.

-Robert J. Woods, secretary to Vice President and General Manager Ramsey of

## VARICOCELE. JAMES B. CASE DIES SUDDENLY AT BATTLE CREEK, MICHIGAN.

President of the Lincoln Trust Company, Recuperating From the Effects of Overwork, Succumbs to a Complication of Maladies.



JAMES B. CASE,

President of the Lincoln Trust Company, whose death occurred yesterday at Battle Creek, Mich.

-Strauss Photograph.

His first employment in St. Louis was

James B. Case, president of the Lincoln Trust Company, died suddenly yesterday morning at Battle Creek, Mich., where no went about three months ago to obtain relief from the effects of overwork.

Then he removed to Parkersburg, W. Va., and there engaged in oil and mercantile business until 1808, when he moved to St.

lief from the effects of overwork.

News of his death was brought to this Louis. city in a telegram to A. A. B. Woerheide, secretary of the trust company. It was a complete surprise to every one, for it was not thought that his illness was at all serious. An unexpected complication of maladides was the immediate cause of death.

It is expected that the body, accompanied by Mrs. Case, will arrive in St. Louis this morning. It will be taken at once to Webster Groves, where Mr. Case had lived a long time, and arrangements for the for-neral will then be completed. As yet noth-ing definite has been arranged.

James B. Case was born March 6, 1845, in the tewn of Sodus, Wayne County, N. Y. He was a son of Gamadel and Roxana Gardner) Case. His Grandfather Case was a native of Connecticut, and one of the pioneer settlers in Western New York, and his grandmother, who, before her marriage, was Hannah Granger, came of the old Granger family of Connecticut and New York, which furnished Gideon Granger and Francis Granger, father and son, who were, respectively members of Jefferson's and Jackson's Cabinets. Mr. Case's ancestors were prominent in the Revolutionary War, and one of them, Colone Thomas Gardner, was killed at Bunker Hill.

Mr. Car was reared on his father's farm, and was educated in the public schools. He was a member of Ransom Post, and was educated in the public schools. He married Miss Emma L. Kroeger, a proposed for fail seeding in North Carolina. A light yield is also reported from Mary-and the was one of the daffairs of that suburb. He was one of the default of the western Park and in connection with brought into existence the suburb known as Webster Park, and in connection with brought into existence the suburb known as Webster Real Estate Company, which brought into existence the suburb known and Meramec River Railroad.

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taught school to get money for his expenses. He married Miss Emma L. Kroeger, a at Genesee College, Lin., N. Y., which he native of Denmark, daughter of a Lutheran left in 1861 before graduation to enlist in the minister. Of this union one child was born, Fourteenth New York Volunteers. He par-Mrs. Kent Jarvis, who, with her mother, ticipated in many minor engagements, and survives him.
was in the battles of Hanover Junction. The funeral arrangements have not yet was in the battles of Hanover Junction. The funeral arrangements have not yet Gaines's Mills, Malvern Hill and Second been made. The body is expected to arrive Bull Run. In the latter, August 21. 1862, he was wounded in the right arm, and, as a result, was discharged November 25, 1862.

For awhile he again taught school, and services will be held.

-J. L. Bridges has been appointed assist

It is more than probable that the Pull-man Company will provide safes for sleep-ing cars, in which patrons can store their cash and valuables during a trip.

-C. S. Crane, general passenger agent of the Wabasa, will attend the meeting of the Central Passenger Association in Chicago

-It is reported that William K. Vander-

chnsylvania Company.

-G. W. Barnhardt has been made commer

TRUST COMPANY INCORPORATES

Sedalia Organization Enters the St.

Louis Field.

The Missouri Trust Company, which has

been doing business at Sedalia for over twenty years, was incorporated in St. Louis

yesterday, and will remove to St. Louis it

In its application for incorporation the

several years.

the Wabash, received a letter from him yesterday, written from London. Mr. Ramsey said he would go from there to Paris, then to Switzerland, back again to Paris and London, and sait for home in October.

I Design to the principal local stockholder, and will be secretary of tions it was deemed better to incorporate under the new law.

John C. Wilkinson, former president of the Business Men's League, is the principal local stockholder, and will be secretary of the company. No definite location has been selected for the company, but three different sites are under consideration.

He married Miss Emma L. Kroeger, a

FIRST REHEARSAL A SUCCESS.

St. Louis Musical Festival Chorus at the Odeon.

several years.

-F. A. Bill, general passenger agent of the Hot Springs Railway, was a visitor here resterday.

-General Manager G. E. Evans of the Louisville and Nashville will be in St. Louis to-day. He is making a tour of inspection. The first rehearsal of the St. Louis Musical Festival chorus took place at Recital Louis to-day. He is making a tour of inspection.

-A large party of home visitors from Nebraskit passed over the Eurlington yesterday through the St. Louis gatoway, bound for points in the Middle States.

-George C. Holmes, general storekeeper of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis, was here yesterday.

-B. H. Coyle of the Hoesac Tunnel Line has returned from an extended trip East.

-Trainmen in Texas are not discouraged by the defeat of their attempt to get the Texas Commission to prohibit double-heading. A legislative lobby has been organized and the question has been made a political issue of the present campaign by the insertion of a clause in the Democratic platform pronouncing against double-heading.

-Eastern lines have made a rate of 1 cent Hall in the Odeon last night and was attended by more than 460 choristers, all members of the leading choirs and singing societies of St. Louis Professor W. H. Pommer, who will direct a part of the first concert of the festival, which begins at the -Eastern lines have made a rate of 1 cent a mile for the gathering of Democratic clubs at Indianapolis October 2 and 4. West-ern lines have consented to a rate of one fare plus \$2.

—It is reported that William K. Vander-bilt has purchased two large blocks of Penn-sylvania Raliroad shares in England. The Duke of Devonshire and the Duke of Port-land have sold their shares to Mr. Vander-bilt, it is said. Mr. Vanderbilt has for some time been buying Pennsylvania shares in the open market, and now it is said that he is the largest individual shareholder in the Pennsylvania Campany. or being implicated in the tart of a norse and buggy from James June of No. 2230 Chestnut street on last Saturday. The horse was found Monday morning at Dwyer Bros. coal yard, at No. 3113 North Market street. The buggy was located at No. 2627 Paim street.

Paim street.
Seim called at the Paim street house
Monday morning to claim the buggy, but
was told to return in the afternoon. When was toid to return in the afternoon. When he returned he was placed under arrest. Coff took the boy to his home, at No. 250 Dodler street, to deliver a horse to the father. Upon reaching the house the officer was attacked by the boy's mo her, father, brother and two sisters, in the course of the disturbance young Seim escaped. The other members of the family were arrested on charges of interfering with an officer.

PRIEST POSTPONES WEDDING. Refuses to Publish Banns and Prospective Bride Is Prostrated.

company gives its cap'tal stock as \$500,000, of which \$200,000 is actu. ity subscribed, and of which \$20,000 is actu ily subscribed, and of this amount one-half is paid in. The stock is divided into 5,000 shares of 100 each, and the shareholders are as follows: J. A. Webb, 250 shares; F. A. Sampson, 100 shares; G. L. Faulhaber, 255 shares; F. E. Hoffman, 100 shares; Henry W. Harris, 100 shares; O. A. Crandail, 500 shares; J. W. Van Cleave, Si shares; Phockney French, 100 shares; Edward Devoy, 10 shares; W. T. Anderson, I share; Phockney French, 100 shares; Edward Devoy, 10 shares; W. T. Anderson, I share; Phockney French, 100 shares; Stanley D. Pearce, I share; E. I. Macgowan, Jr., I share; William F. Scott, 10 shares; John C. Wikinson, Jail shares. One of the stockholders, in speaking of the re-incorporation, said the company had been doing a good business at Sedalli, principally in investing fore-gn capital in the State, but it was desired to enlarge the business. St. Louis was considered a better location, and it was decided to remove to this city. In order to avoid any complica-REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Conditions Were Most Favorable the Last Week Along the Pacific Coast.

### **EASTERN COTTON NOT DAMAGED**

Crop Generally Missed the Tropical Storm and Will Yield Fairly Well-Corn Maturing Rapidly-Fruit Falling.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Sept. II.-The special weekly crop report, issued to-day by the Departnent of Agriculture, is as follows:

Hot and dry weather has been a marked feature of the reports from the greater number of the States east of the Rocky Mountain slope, excepting the Northwest and the Upper Peainsula of Michigan, where rains have retarded work and caused some damage to outstanding crops. Beneficial rains occurred in Florida, New Mexico and por tions of Alabama, Louisiana, Illinois, Ohio, New York and Pennsylvania, Droughty inditions, however, prevail in New Eng land, the Atlantic Coast States, the central valleys, northern portion of the Gulf States and the southern plateau region. Generally favorable weather conditions prevalled or the Pacific Coast, although rains caused me delay to form work in Oregon and slightly damaged bate fruit in California.

The hot, dry weather has rapidly mature orn, and under existing conditions the crop should be practically safe from frost by September 15. Cutting is in progress in all ections, and an excellent crop is assured in he principal corn-producing States. Late torn is drying in Central Kansas; is seri-

South Atlantic States.

Condition of Cutton.

In the eastern part of the cotton belt the greater part of the cotton belt and places and places. and picking is progressing rapidly, but has been delayed by showers in Florida. Complaints of rust, shedding and premature opening, and some damage from rain has resulted to the open staple in Georgia, while the boils are small and difficult to pick. No serious injury to cotton from the recent tropical storm is reported from the central section; in Louisiana the first picking is yielding fairly well, but the pros-pects for a top crop in that State, as well as in Mississippi and North Carolina, are unfavorable.

as cierk in the Comptroller's uffice. He was soon advanced to Deputy Comptroller. He was soon advanced to Deputy Comptroller. He was employed afterwards in building the waterworks plant at Bissell's Point.

Later, he became associated in the interests which led to the formation of the N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, and as officer and director of that corporation was prominently identified with the manufacturing interests of the city. He withirew from this company to organize the Lincoln unfavorable.

Slow progress was made in picking in Arkansas and Mississippi, due to hot weather and scarcity of pickers in the first named State. Owing to the prestration of wires by the tropical storm which recently devastated Texas, no reports concerning cotton have been received from that State. The greater pert of the tobacco crop has been housed and curing is progressing. Generally good crops are reported from Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York. The late crop was setiously injured by drought in portions of Kentucky and an inferior yield is indicated in North Carolina. A light yield is also reported from Maryfrom this company to organize the Lincoln Trust Company, and has been its president since its foundation in 1894. Through his purchase in 1896 of a summer home at Webster Groves, he became interested in the

plowing for fail seeding in the Middle an south Atlantic States, onto Valley and Ten nessee. In Ellinois, Michigan and west o the Mississippi River seeding is in progress the soil being in fair condition, aithougatoo dry in portions of Missouri. Early sown grain in Nebraska is up and looking nicely.

MISSOURI CROP REPORT. Nine-Tenths of Corn Crop Safe-Cot-

ton Improved. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Columbia, Mo., Sept. 11.—The United States Department of Agriculture, Missouri Section, Climate and Crop Service, Weather Bureau, in its weekly crop bulletin issued

Throughout the greater part of the State the last week has been hot and dry, the temperature averaging from 6 to 3 degrees per day above the normal, with only light scattered showers, except in a few of the northeastern, ceatral and southwestern counties, where good rains fell on the 3d.

Corn is maturing rapidly, and nine-tenths counties, where good rains fell on the 3d.

Corn is maturing rapidly, and nine-tenths
of the crop is now safe from frost, many
correspondents reporting the entire crop out
of danger. Cutting is in progress in all sections, and in some counties has been completed. In many of the southern counties, a
considerable number of the central and
northeastern, and a tew of the northwestern counties, the yield will be considerably
below the average, a few correspondents reporting only haif a crop, but in most of the
nerthwestern and extreme northern and a
considerable number of the central and
southern counties the crop is up to or above
the average.

concert of the festival, which begins at the considerable number of the central and southern counties the crop is up to or above the colliseum on November 5, gave the chorus as a trial number his Swabian Folk song, "Look, Look, Dorothy, Look," the vecalists stinging it at sight to the director's satisfaction. Mendelssohu's "Forty-second Psalm" was also scanned by the singers, who showed remarkable proficiency. The extent and quality of the attendance was a source of considerable satisfaction to the gentemen having the festival in charge. Another gratifying feature was the presence of many of the leading musicians of the city and others prom neatly identified with the local cause of music.

FAMILY ATTACKED OFFICER.

Prisoner Escaped, Then the Others Were Arrested.

Policeman Coff of the Ninth District engaged in a lively combat with a whole family Monday afternoon.

Coff arrested a 15-year-old boy, named Seim, at No. 2827 Palm street on suspicion of being implicated in the theft of a horse and buggy from James June of No. 289 Chesting street on iast Saturday. The horse the coop is up to or above the southern counties the crop is up to or above the southern counties the crop is up to or above the average.

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Late potatoes are reported a good crop in a few counties but in general the yield will be very light, and in many counties they are almost a failure. In the southern counties there is much complaint that potatoes are rotting. Clover hulling is in progress with good yields in some localities, while in others the crop is light. The condition of the fruit crop remains practically unchanged. FARM WORK WELL ADVANCED. Generally Favorable Weather Condi-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Springfield, Ill., Sept. II.-The weekly crop builetin issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, Illinois Sec Department of Agriculture, llimous Section, Weather Bureau, to-day was as follows:

The last week has been generally dry, although very light showers have failen over a large part of the State and heavy rains in a few localities. The days have been warm and the nights cool. The weather has been favorable for the advancement of farm work, and considerable plowing has been done.

farm work, and considerable plowing has been done.

In some localities plowing is about completed. Some grain has already been sown. In some localities a large acreage is being prepared for fall sowing, and in others the acreage is small. The thrashing of oats is about completed throughout the State, and a very large crop will be harvested in the northern and central districts. Harvesting has begun over all the State, and hearly the entire crop promises to be out of danger from frost by September 15.

Corn is badly down in many places in the northern district. Broomcorn harvest is still in progress. Seed clover is being thrashed, and the yield is good in the Northern and Central districts. Passures are generally good in the Northern and Central districts, and meadows are in excellent condition for winter. In the South pastures are

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poor, though there has been some improve-ment. corn is drying in Central Kansas; is seriously injured by drought in portions of Kentucky, and will be short in West Virginia.

Virginia, portions of Pennsylvania and the South Atlantic States.

Condition of Cotton.

In the castern part of the cotton belt the greater part of the cotton belt the greater part of the crep is now open and picking is progressing rapidly, but has localities. Pears are doing well,

Than Previous Offerings. The catalogue of premiums for the annual St. Louis County Fair, to be held at Upper Creve Couer Lake on September 20, 21, 22

Creve Couer Lake on September 20, 21, 22 and 23, was issued yesterday. The premium list is the largest ever offered at any of the fairs held heretofore in St. Louis County. Among the special premiums are a scholarship at a St. Louis business college for the best percentage made at an examination, to be conducted by School Commissioner Denny on the grounds September 22, a 25 premium for the best-gaited saddle horse, with a lady rider, and several other special premiums for displays of farm products.

There will be eight departments at the fair. Department No. 1, consisting of farm, garden and orchard products, will be under the supervision of Heary Bopp; department No. 2, cattle, John C. Ruder; department No. 2, cattle, John C. Ruder; department No. 3, horses and mules, Honry Heinemann; department No. 4, pountry, swine and sheep. Occar Linns; department No. 5, agricultural implements and machinery, outside of the county. T. T. Lucas; department No. 6, agricultural and me hanked implements, home division, Gottaleb Bayer; department No. 7, fine arts, textales, fabrics and domestic manufactures, Joseph Diem; department No. 8, dairy, pantry and household, Charles Miller.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. **Exchange Directors Honor Memory** 

committee of directors of the Merchants' Exchange appointed to prepare resolutions

Transport Lawton Goes North to Bring Destitute Men Home. San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 11.-The United

States transport Lawton sailed to-day for the Far North to bring back destitute miners.

All the available space below decks is devoted to berths, provided for bedding for nearly a thousand persons, besides the regular complement of officers and crew. The big transport will proceed to Cape Nome, stopping at Seattle for supplies.

## Mrs. Pinkham

The one thing that quali-

No other person has so wide an experience with female ills nor such a record of success as Mrs. Pinkham has had.

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PREMIUMS AT COUNTY FAIR.

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of Dead Members. Parsons, R. J. Lackland, Nathan Cole, R. M. Scruggs and John Wahl, the

on the death of James M. Franciscus, submitted the following report at the directors' meeting yesterday, which was adopted:

The Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis again;
mourns the loss of a valued member:

Mr. James M. Franciscus, who had been che
of our associates almost from the organization
of the exchange, has deed full of years and in
the enjoyment of the respect and esteem, not only
of this body, but of the whole community.

He life r ached the unusual term of 22 years,
owing partly to an executent physical condition
and also to a serenity of mind and evenness of
temper, which kept him from undue anxieties
and exhausting desires. As a citizen and tanker
he was allove reproach, pleasant and genial in
manner, surfight and truthful in his dealings,
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and the American citizen and worthy business
man. meeting yesterday, which was adopted:

a true American citizen and words, man.
We, therefore, mourn his death as a loss of one who added disnity to our association, and respectfully tender our very kindly sympathes to his family.

Resolutions on the death of W. H. Thornshee were adopted. burgh also were adopted. Ten new members were received,

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